

December 6, 1995



Mr. Joseph Cosentino, OSC
Removal Action Branch
Emergency and Remedial Response Division
US Environmental Protection Agency, Region II
2890 Woodbridge Avenue
Edison, New Jersey 08837

Re: Bayonne Barrel & Drum Superfund Site
150-154 Raymond Boulevard, Newark, Essex County, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Cosentino:

This is in response to your request for information regarding the Bayonne Barrel & Drum Superfund Site, which was received by us on November 16, 1995.

After a thorough search of our corporate records, we can find no record of our doing business with Bayonne Barrel & Drum Company. We have answered the attached questions accordingly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Richard L. Warrick', is positioned above the typed name.

Richard L. Warrick
Assistant General Counsel

RLW:amr

cc: Mr. Marc Seidenberg



RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

1. General Information about the Company:

a. & b. The Cessna Aircraft Company, originally organized under the laws of the State of Kansas in 1927, is a general business corporation engaged in the production and marketing of general aviation aircraft. In 1986, it merged into CAC Acquisition Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of General Dynamics Corporation, and simultaneous with the merger, CAC Acquisition Company assumed the name of The Cessna Aircraft Company. In 1992, Textron Inc. purchased The Cessna Aircraft Company for General Dynamics Corporation, and Cessna became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Textron Inc.

c. Russell W. Meyer, Jr.; One Cessna Boulevard, P.O. Box 7704, Wichita, KS 67277; President and Chairman of the Board

d. Cessna has no subsidiaries at this time. Textron Inc., Cessna's parent company, owns about forty-five subsidiaries, one of which is Cessna. Some of those subsidiaries have divisions and subsidiaries of their own.

e. See 1 a & b above.

f. See response to Request No. 2.

2. Cessna can find no record of its having done business with Bayonne Barrel & Drum Company.

3. Richard L. Warrick, Assistant General Counsel of The Cessna Aircraft Company;
Edmond Pack, Jr., Manager Environmental & Paint Operations of The Cessna Aircraft Company.

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5. Since you have not stated a date certain, I can only respond that we have many dozens of general liability insurance policies which were

issued to Cessna since 1945. In addition, there are excess policies and reinsurance policies in effect for most of these years.

6. None.

7. Unknown.